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Application No.: 10/010,536 Examiner: Philip Sobutka

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For: MINIMUM INTERFERENCE MULTIPLE-ACCESS METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONNECTION RESCUE

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2004, for which a response was due on October 27, 2004, and for which a three-month extension of time is also requested to extend the time for response from October 27, 2004 to January 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

SPECIFICATION

X There are no amendments to the specification.

CLAIMS

There are no amendments to the claims.

X A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.